

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re the Application of: **SASHIDA, Naoya**

Group Art Unit: **2826**

Serial No.: **10/697,944**

Examiner: **DICKEY, Thomas L.**

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For. **SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE  
SAME**

**PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Date: May 4, 2008

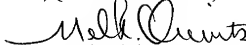
Sir:

Applicants petition the Commissioner for Patents to extend the time for response to the Office Action dated December 4, 2007 for two months, from March 4, 2008 to May 4, 2008.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge our Deposit Account in the amount of \$460.00 to cover the cost of the extension for a large entity. In the event that any additional fees are due in connection with this paper, please charge our Deposit Account No. 01-2340.

Respectfully submitted,

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